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Transmittal of Continued Prosecution Application Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)

(NOTE: Can be used only where prior application was filed on/after 6/8/95.)

Pursuant to Rule 53(d), please file a continued prosecution application of pending prior patent application no. 08/354,177, filed on December 12, 1994. This application claims the invention

Of CHILDRESS et al.

Entitled PATCH BAG COMPRISING HOMOGENEOUS ETHYLENE/ALPHA-OLEFIN COPOLYMER

No payment of the issue fee, abandonment, or termination of proceedings occurred in the prior application.
Applicant abandons the prior application as of the filing date of this request.

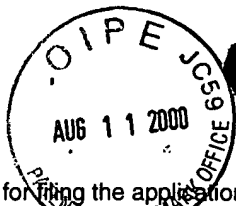
1. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting, just after the title:
 - ☒ "This is a continuation of application no. 08/354,177, filed on December 12, 1994.
 - ☐ "This is a divisional of application no. _____, filed on _____."
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ Cancel claims _____.
4. ☐ An amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed _____ was not entered in the prior application but should be entered in this application.
5. ☐ This application is being filed by less than all the inventors named in the prior application. Please delete the names of the following person(s) who are not inventors of the invention claimed in this application:
6. ☒ An assignment is ☐ enclosed, or ☒ of record in the prior application.
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| Claims as filed, after accounting for any claims canceled in paragraphs 2-4 above. | | | | |
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| (1) For | (2) Number Filed | (3) Number Extra | (4) Rate | (5) Totals |
| Basic fee | N/A | N/A | \$690. | \$690.00 |
| Total claims | 85 - 20 = | 65 | × \$18. | \$1170.00 |
| Independent claims | 3 - 3 = | 0 | × \$78. | 0 |
| Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims | | | \$260. | 0 |
| Assignment recording fee | | | \$40. | 0 |
| Total amount due | | | | \$1860.00 |

☒ The USPTO is authorized to charge the amount shown above to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. Also, during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees incurred and credit any overpayments made to that same Deposit Account.

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